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11. (SBU) PolOff delivered Ref talking points on February 27 to Dr. Bernadett Kollar, Head of Section for International Organizations, GoH Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Dr. Kollar said her office was unaware that there was an American candidate for the position, but said she would convey our message to the GoH UN delegation before the scheduled March 2 vote. Dr. Kollar did not offer any additional comment.

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